



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

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For: METAL CERAMIC CIRCUIT BOARD AND MANUFACTURING METHOD  
THEREOF

**AMENDMENT**

Box Non-Fee Amendment  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 2, 2002, amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested.

**IN THE TITLE:**

Please substitute the following amended title for the title as currently on record:

METAL-CERAMIC CIRCUIT BOARD

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Once Amended) A metal-ceramic circuit board comprising a base plate of aluminum or aluminum alloy and a ceramic substrate board, wherein one surface of the ceramic substrate board is bonded directly to the base plate.

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